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REPUBLICAN COUNTY TICKET.

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Prosecuting Attorney—Frank W. Nesbitt.  
Assessor (City Dist.)—Adison Israel.  
Assessor (County Dist.)—Lester Smith.

Railroad Subscription Defeated.

The ordinance submitted by the board of commissioners subscribing \$500,000 to the Uniontown, Wayneburg and West Virginia railroad, and voted on yesterday, was overwhelmingly defeated. This is not so surprising as the extremely light vote polled. This feature of the election shows a startling indifference on the part of the taxpayers with such a large sum at stake. There is no doubt that the large majority of the votes polled yesterday were cast by persons who were relatively small taxpayers, with a large percentage paying no taxes at all. The Intelligencer is not quarreling with those who voted against the ratification of the ordinance, but thinks it extremely dangerous that such a large proportion of the voters of the city refrained from expressing themselves on such a vital proposition, and that they were too indifferent to vote either "yes" or "no."

The defeat of the subscription was practically conceded by its friends some days ago, but that does not excuse the dangerous indifference displayed by the taxpayers. The Intelligencer believes that the ordinance would have been more strongly supported had a smaller sum been asked for, but there were other elements that contributed to its defeat, the prejudice of a class of citizens that was successfully worked upon. It will be a grievous matter with Wheeling if these retarding influences prevail in the future when schemes for her advancement are contemplated.

Nebraska Fallow Ground.

There is certainly some hope of carrying Nebraska for McKinley and Roosevelt if the proper effort is made. Bryan has foolishly declared that he would not concede a single state to the Republicans, but that was evidently a clear case of bluff. From what we hear of the situation in Nebraska he would better be looking to his fences at home. In 1896, while the state was for him through fusion, he failed to carry his own ward—his own election precinct. This year the outlook is vastly more encouraging than it was four years ago. Prosperity has beamed on the state, the crops have been tremendous and the gloomy predictions of the apostle of calamity have been thoroughly discredited. But, as a valued exchange remarks, "the fusionists in the state are comparatively strong. They have carried the state in every election since 1863. They gave Bryan 13,576 plurality in 1896, and increased that plurality somewhat in 1899. An indication, how-

ever, of how the state may vote in the election of this year, when national issues are raised, may be found in the returns of the election of 1898, when Congressmen were chosen. Then the fusion plurality for the state ticket was only 2,721, and in the congressional districts the fusion plurality was but 1,075.

If a vigorous fight is made this year on purely national lines—and the national issues are sure to overshadow all others—there is reason to hope that the state may be taken from Bryan. At least there is good cause for the Republicans making the attempt to carry the state."

Eloquent Figures.

There is one thing alone that ought to halt the attack of the Bryan party on the prosperity of the country, and that is the record set forth in the bulletin issued by the bureau of statistics of the treasury department, giving figures of the foreign commerce of this country for the fiscal year which ended June 30. The statement goes to show what immense interests are imperiled by the Bryan propaganda which seeks to undermine the stability and security of commercial calculations and the financial honor of the country. Six years ago the total foreign commerce of the country amounted, in round numbers, to \$1,600,000,000, while this year it has grown to \$2,225,000,000 in round numbers. We do not believe there is another country on the face of the globe that can show such an advance in material interests in the history of all time as that disclosed by the above figures given for the United States. Yet Bryan and his imperial cohorts claim that the gold standard is ruinous.

The increase in exports furnishes the most specific reasons for the continuance of Republican rule, gained as they were, in a large measure, through the beneficent workings of the Dingley tariff law. Let any doubting voter glance at the following table of the excess of exports over imports since 1895 and be convinced of the truth of the foregoing assertion. The figures, official, are as follows:

Years.	Exports.	Imports.
1895	\$ 80,538,000	\$ 75,568,000
1896	82,647,000	102,831,000
1897	1,650,294,000	1,863,310,000
1898	1,291,482,000	1,285,432,000
1899	1,227,023,000	629,875,000
1900	1,394,475,000	144,765,000

Are they not eloquent in their plea for the re-election of McKinley, and the defeat of the man who symbolizes free trade and free silver? The New York Times, Democrat, but anti-Bryan, says: "This splendid record has not the slightest value for Mr. Bryan. He is blind to its meaning. He holds to his old ideas with the same tenacity, or greater. He controls his party absolutely, and though the shrewder leaders saw long ago that his theory was exploded, they were unable to prevent its re-presentation explicitly and prominently in the platform of the party. It is as dangerous now as it was four years ago. The very sincerity and courage with which Mr. Bryan clings to it make it the more dangerous, for they make it certain that he will, if elected, act on it, no matter what the consequences may be. The issue he thus presents cannot be subordinated, and must not be ignored. It must be fought out that we may keep what we have won."

Governor Roosevelt's Speech.

Governor Roosevelt, the Republican vice presidential nominee, delivered a magnificent address to the Republican League convention at St. Paul, yesterday, which is full of campaign nuggets. In appealing to the country to support President McKinley for re-election Governor Roosevelt presents many cogent reasons for the emphatic endorsement of his administration; because of what he has actually done, of what he now stands for and typifies and because of the marvelous work that has been accomplished under his direction. The New York governor pointed out that he should be supported by all upright citizens because against him are arrayed "the forces of chaotic evil, because of menace to our moral and industrial welfare, which is implied in the present attitude and purpose of the Populist Democracy. We know definitely what we believe, and we say it outright. Our opponents, who represent all the forces of discontent, malice and envy, formed and unformed, vulgar and concrete, can hardly be said to know what they really do believe."

With regard to the hypocritical position of Bryanocracy on the Philippines, Governor Roosevelt holds the dictator down to the expressions of the Kansas City platform, which he wrote, or caused to be written, claiming that even the convention felt they had to propose the same policy that President McKinley is now trying to carry out, and that his efforts to secure a stable form of government in the Pacific archipelago are mainly being opposed by the support given to the bloody Aguinaldo oligarchy by the sympathies of the people who were represented at Kansas City.

A Trust Helping Bryan.

The recent advance in the price of sugar by the sugar trust lays that combination open to the accusation that this has been done to aid Bryan. Why not? They owe the man who has been hypocritically "trailing the octopus to its lair," an extremely large debt of gratitude, for it will be remembered that Bryan while in Congress in 1894, voted for the Wilson tariff bill, which included a sugar schedule that had been written by Secretary Carlisle at the dictation of Mr. Havemeyer, the president of the trust. Speaking of this matter the Cleveland Leader very pointedly says:

That tariff bill was most favorable to the trust, because it increased the protection on refined sugar to 46.97 per cent ad valorem, as against the protection of 14.12 per cent afforded by the McKinley law. Under the provisions of the Wilson-Gorman law, for which Bryan voted, the sugar trust was enabled to monopolize almost completely the business of refining and selling sugar in the United States. When the Republicans returned to power they passed the Dingley bill, in which the differential duty on refined sugar was reduced very materially—the reduction being, in fact, from 25 to 49 per cent from the differential fixed by the Wilson-Gorman law. The favorable condition enjoyed by the trust under the schedule of the Wilson-Gorman law, which President Cleveland referred to as a measure that might possibly look like favoritism to the trusts, were destroyed. Then President Havemeyer tried to get even with the Republicans. In his testimony before the industrial commission at Washington he falsely

declared that protection was the mother of all trusts, thus giving the Democrats' valuable ammunition for use during the campaign.

Is it a stretch of imagination to suppose that President Havemeyer is now trying to help Bryan by forcing up the price of sugar, the latest increase having been a cent a pound, for the sole purpose of giving the Democratic candidate a chance to show what one trust controlling an important necessary of life has been able to do under a Republican administration? The sugar trust has been a frequent contributor in large amounts to Democratic campaign funds, and if the Democratic party has not its good will now, it is certainly one of the most ungrateful of all the big corporations.

'The Wine and Spirit Review, of New York, says that it sees no evidence of the boasted prosperity of the country on account of the dullness in the liquor trade. That is the very best evidence of prosperity, for the people are too busily employed these days to find time to stop and take a drink.

The jury that is trying Caleb Powers, the rightful secretary of state for Kentucky, charged with being an accessory to the murder of Goebel, is composed of ten Democrats, one prohibitionist with Goebel sympathies, and one lone Republican. No wonder Governor Taylor is staying away.

Colorado is not going to be a snafu for Bryan. The Denver Times and Republican, two papers that warmly expounded the Lincoln dictator, are now just as warm for McKinley.

The wounded in Admiral Seymour's command, while their fate was pitiful, chose death rather than torture by the fiendish barbarians.

It is a wonder Aguinaldo's allies, of Back Bay, Boston, have not come out in defense of the Boxers.

The Iowa senatorship is up to Congressman Dolliver and Secretary of Agriculture Wilson.

The cloud burst and the cyclone are beginning to resume business at the old stand.

The American troops at Tien Tsin suffered worse than they did at Santiago.

Nothing has aroused civilization so much as the horrible atrocities in China.

The Americans were in the front of the fray.

Now is the time to organize political clubs.

Be patient. Christmas is coming.

STATE PRESS GLEANINGS.

In the Chinese controversy it is very easy for one to lose one's head, especially if one happens to incur the displeasure of Wan Tu.—Parkersburg News.

Well, well, the Illinois Democrats refused to send Adlai to the convention as a delegate, and now look at the result. "The stone which the builders rejected," has become, not exactly the head, but something about the corner.—Belington Independent.

In President McKinley the people have a man of high character, unswerving patriotism and a stronger candidate than he was in 1896, because his remarkable experience has strengthened and broadened him and better equipped him for executive duties. In Governor Roosevelt, the people have a representative of the stalwart Americanism of the day, and a man as closely identified with the policy of expansion as is the President himself. They make a strong team.—Martinsburg Independent.

The Prince of Wales has donned a new coat, and all the chaplains are boring their tails to death trying to keep up with the style.—Martinsburg World.

Now, where is the mighty Democratic name of Davis? Col. Thomas B. Davis has been defeated for the nomination for the state senate in the Twelfth district by some gentleman known to fame and fortune unknown, who is known at his place of abode as Dick Price. Did Col. McGraw take a hand in this piece of iniquity?—Parkersburg Journal.

The public will take very little stock in the stories of a conspiracy to assassinate President McKinley. It really wouldn't require a very elaborate conspiracy to make way with the President if somebody were desirous of doing it. He has never been in the habit of appearing in public behind phalanxes of detectives.—Sistersville Oil Review.

When your Uncle Charley Caldwell makes one of his oratorical efforts the eagle is not in it. He soars aloft to the dome of the oratorical heavens and comes down with the grace of a swallow. It is men like Col. Caldwell who made it possible for Shakespeare to say that laughter and tears are near kin.—Huntington Herald.

Will Support McKinley.

Boston Herald: The Herald cannot support Bryan for the presidency. That action on its part is no more to be thought of now than it was four years ago. Will it support McKinley? We answer yes. It believes the election of McKinley to be the best thing result practicable of achievement in the coming presidential contest. It is not unconscious of the faults of President McKinley in office. It has frequently pointed them out. It regrets that they could not have been avoided in his first term of service; it hopes they will be improved upon in that second term of service, which we have little doubt, if he lives, is awaiting him. In the meantime, while we have to confess that in McKinley are not realized our ideals for the presidency, we have no misgivings as to our duty to support him in the present election.

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Men do not like to go to doctors. Nine times out of ten they wait until they are laid flat on their backs before they will consult a physician. There is some reason in this; for when a business man feels out of sorts and goes to a physician, he is often given violent drugs that make him, for a time, unfit for business and really sick.

There is a way of avoiding both extremes—that of neglecting the head and that of taking violent drugs that rack the entire system—it is always to keep on hand a bottle of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. If a man will resort to this great medicine whenever he feels that he is out of sorts and threatened with illness, he may keep in good health. It is the great appetite sharpener, blood-maker and flesh-builder. It fills the arteries with the rich, tissue-building blood of health. It does not make flabby fat like cod liver oil, but the solid, muscular and nerve tissues of health. It does not make corpulent people more corpulent.

"I want to inform you of a cure effected by Dr. Pierce's medicine," writes Mrs. Nelson Smith, of Mount Vernon, Jefferson Co., N. Y. "About six years ago I had grip, ending with bronchitis and consumption. In the spring of 1896 my condition became very serious. I had consumption and I coughed day and night; could not lie down at all. Our family doctor said I could not get well. The neighbors came in to see me, and a lady friend recommended Dr. Pierce's medicine so strongly that we immediately sent out and bought six bottles of his 'Golden Medical Discovery' and 'Favorite Prescription.' After using these medicines, found I was receiving benefit and continued. I weighed ten when I commenced taking medicines, now weigh 120. I sleep well, have a splendid appetite, feel well, and believe I am entirely cured. I am thankful to God and to Dr. Pierce for those wonderful medicines. I want to add that I am a wonder to my neighbors and friends."

WEBSTER'S DICTIONARY.

A Piratical Work That is Now Being Offered to the Public.

A good work has always been limited and that is why some energetic fakirs are now exploiting a work called "Webster's Encyclopedic Dictionary." It is nothing more than a necessarily incomplete steal of the copyrighted Webster's American Dictionary, published by the G. & C. Merriam Company, Springfield, Massachusetts, and the public is hereby warned not to be taken in by the cheapness of the piratical work. The body of the so-called "Webster's Encyclopedic Dictionary," the first 1,250 pages, is a reprint, from A to Z, by a photographic process, involving no type-setting, of the 1847 edition of Webster's American Dictionary, a work which the rapid advance of knowledge showed to be so defective and inadequate for general use that it was made over, from beginning to end. The revision was completed and printed in 1864, since which date the 1847 edition has been out of publication and out of repute, and generally regarded as obsolete. The copyright on the 1847 book has lately expired, and it is being cheaply reproduced by various speculative publishers, sometimes with and sometimes without other easily obtainable material, in hopes of finding purchasers. This particular reproduction, so far as we can detect, is without the slightest change in the text.

The supplement is a curious composition. In it there are two vocabularies under each letter. One of these parts, the larger one, consists of a reprint by some photographic process of the pages of a work by Fallows, published in 1886, and then entitled "The Progressive Supplemental Dictionary." It was chiefly a compilation from certain well known voluminous English works. It contained some new words and some definitions not in the then existing American dictionaries, with much that was obsolete or merely colloquial and relatively unimportant. It had no general success, and became comparatively valueless as an independent book upon the publication of Webster's International Dictionary in 1890. The other portions of the supplement is a more recent compilation in similar style and of similar character, but chiefly derived from an English work in fourteen volumes, of which the first was issued twelve years ago, and the last three years ago. It constitutes in matter about one-sixth of the book.

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Prosperity of the Business-Like Saloon Keeper Near the Cemetery.

New York Sun: The old business maxim that to be successful the business man must appeal directly to that part of the public which passes his door is well exemplified in the case of an ingenious and therefore prosperous saloon keeper on the outskirts of Brooklyn. His place, which is a small and unpretentious one, is near the entrance to a big cemetery, though not on the main road usually followed by the funerals. Recently extensive repairs to the main road have sent the funeral parties around past the little saloon. The saloon keeper didn't let a day pass before he had up a huge sign, ornamented with a foaming schooner on one end and a large bottle on the other, and inscribed with this legend:

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